

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

Abstract of the Disclosure

The present invention relates to hinge mechanisms for ~~electric~~ electronic devices with folding casings and to a double articulated hinge mechanism for aforesaid electronic devices offering advantageous characteristics for electric conductors to be passed through the inventive hinge mechanism. The mechanism allows pivoted junction of at least two casing parts constituting a folding casing of an ~~electric~~ electronic device, wherein each casing part includes electric components. The hinge mechanism ~~comprises~~ has at least a hinge body component and a flexible electrical conductor ~~[[means]]~~ for connecting the ~~electric~~ electronic components included by different casing parts. The hinge body component enables establishing two independent, substantially parallel and at a predefined distance separated pivot axes. Further the hinge body component provides a passage, which is adapted to receive the flexible electrical conductor ~~[[means]]~~ for being routed through the hinge mechanism. Due to the passage, the flexible electrical conductor ~~means-are~~ is held permanently in a predefined shape of the passage.

(Fig. 5 for publication)